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Re application of: Pannala et al.

Application No. 10/045,523

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For: A METHOD AND APPARATUS TO
GENERATE A WIRING HARNESS
LAYOUT

Examiner: Binh C. Tat

Art Unit: 2825

Attorney Reference No. 1011-59279-01

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Indep. Claims	14	14**	= 0	\$200.00	\$ 0.00
Mult. Dep. Claims Fee (if not previously paid)				\$360.00	
One-month Extension of Time				\$120.00	\$120.00
Two-month Extension of Time				\$450.00	
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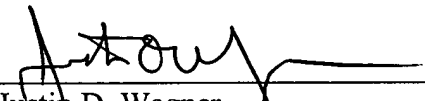
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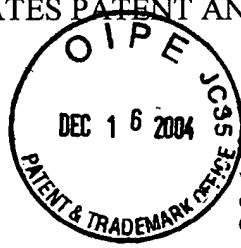
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RESPONSE

This responds to the Office action dated August 12, 2004. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

The listing of Claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 16.